FORM CT-1041 EXT

(Rev. 12/01)

Application for Extension of Time to File Connecticut Income Tax Return for Trusts and Estates

2001 CT-1041 EXT

IMPORTANT! PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE REFORE COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION

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and belief, it is tr	rue, complete, and correct. I unde	erstand that the penalty for willfully	delivering a false return to	schedules and statements) and, to the best of my known DRS is a fine of not more than \$5,000, or imprison all information of which the preparer has any knowle	ment fo
Sign Here	Signature of Fiduciary or Office	r Representing Fiduciary	Date	Telephone Number	
Keep a copy of this form for your records	Paid Preparer's Signature		Date	Preparer's PTIN or SSN	
	Firm's Name and Address			Federal Employer Identification Number	
				Telephone Number	

FORM CT-1041 EXT Instructions

Purpose

Use Form CT-1041 EXT to request a six-month extension to file your Connecticut income tax return for trusts and estates. It will not be necessary to include a reason for the Connecticut extension request if you have already filed an extension on federal Form 2758 or federal Form 8736 with the Internal Revenue Service. If federal Form 2758 or federal Form 8736 was not filed, the fiduciary can apply for a six-month extension to file a Connecticut income tax return provided there is reasonable cause for the request.

How to Get an Extension to File

To obtain a Connecticut extension of time to file, the fiduciary **must:**

- 1. Complete Form CT-1041 EXT in its entirety;
- 2. File it on or before the due date of the return; and
- 3. Pay the amount shown on Line 5.

The Department of Revenue Services (DRS) will notify you **only** if your request is denied.

Form CT-1041 EXT only extends the time to file the Connecticut income tax return. Form CT-1041 EXT does not extend the time to pay the income tax.

You may qualify for a six-month extension of time to pay your tax. To request this extension you must file **Form CT-1127**, *Application for Extension of Time for Payment of Income Tax*, with your timely filed Connecticut income tax return or extension.

Interest and Penalty

In general, interest and penalty apply to any portion of the tax that is not paid on or before the original due date of the return. Interest is computed on the underpayment of tax at the rate of 1% (.01) per month or fraction of a month from the due date to the date of payment.

Late Payment Penalty: The penalty for underpayment of tax is 10% (.10) of the amount due.

Late Filing Penalty: If no tax is due, DRS may impose a \$50 penalty for the late filing of any return or report that is required by law to be filed.

When to File Form CT-1041 EXT

File Form CT-1041 EXT on or before April 15, 2002. If the taxable year is other than the calendar year, file Form CT-1041 EXT on or before the 15th day of the fourth month following the close of the taxable year. If the due date falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday, the next business day is the due date.

Required Information

The following information must be provided when completing Form CT-1041 EXT:

- Name of the trust or estate:
- Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) of the trust or estate;
- 3. Name and title of the fiduciary;
- 4. Address of the fiduciary; and
- 5. Decedent's Social Security Number (SSN) (for estates only).

Signature

The fiduciary or an officer representing the fiduciary must sign this form.

Paid Preparer Information

Anyone the fiduciary pays to prepare the return must sign and date it. Paid preparers must also enter their Social Security Number (SSN) or Preparer Tax Identification Number (PTIN), and their firm's Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) in the spaces provided.

Others Who May Sign

Anyone with a signed Power of Attorney on file may sign on your behalf.

If a fiduciary is unable, by reason of illness, absence, or other good cause, to sign a request for an extension, any person standing in a close personal or business relationship to the fiduciary (including attorneys, accountants, and enrolled agents) may sign the request on his or her behalf, and will be considered as a duly authorized agent for this purpose, provided the request sets forth the reasons for a signature other than that of the fiduciary and states the relationship existing between the fiduciary and the signer.

Where to File

Keep a copy of this form for your records.

Mail to: Department of Revenue Services
PO Box 2934
Hartford CT 06104-2934